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Second Regular Session

Twenty-third Meeting Day

Monday Afternoon

February 23, 2004

The House convened at 1:30 p.m. with the Speaker in the Chair.

The invocation was offered by Evangelist Phillip Messer, Teaberry Hills Estates, Francesville, the guest of Representative Mary Kay Budak.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Representative Matthew D. Whetstone.

The Speaker ordered the roll of the House to be called. A quorum was not present.

Representative Whetstone informed the Speaker that the minority party members had scheduled a caucus for early afternoon and that the caucus would last approximately another 90 minutes.

The Speaker announced that the roll would not be tallied until after a recess for the minority party caucus.

Pursuant to House Rule 60, committee meetings were announced.

The House recessed until the fall of the gavel.

RECESS

The House reconvened at 3:30 p.m. with the Speaker in the Chair.

The Speaker ordered the roll reopened. A quorum was still not present.

The Speaker announced that the House would again recess for the minority party caucus and that the roll would not be tallied until after the recess.

The House recessed until the fall of the gavel.

RECESS

The House reconvened at 5:00 p.m. with the Speaker in the Chair.

The Speaker ordered the roll reopened. A quorum was not present. On the motion of Representative Dobis, the absentees were called. There was still no quorum.

The Speaker announced that the House would continue in recess and that the roll would be tallied upon reconvening.

The House recessed until the fall of the gavel.

RECESS

The House reconvened at 6:00 p.m. with the Speaker in the Chair.

The Speaker ordered the roll to be called:

T. Adams
Aguilera
Alderman }
Austin
Avery

Ayres }
Bardon
Becker }
Behning }
Bischoff

Borror }
Bosma }
Bottorff
C. Brown
T. Brown }
Buck }
Budak }
Buell }
Burton }
Cheney
Cherry }
Chowning
Cochran
Crawford
Crooks
Day
Denbo
Dickinson
Dobis
Duncan }
Dvorak
Espich }
Foley }
Frenz
Friend }
Frizzell }
Fry
GiaQuinta
Goodin
Grubb
Gutwein }
Harris
Hasler
Heim }
Herrell
Hinkle }
Hoffman }
Kersey
Klinker
Koch }
Kromkowski ...
Kruse }
Kuzman
LaPlante }
L. Lawson

Lehe }
Leonard }
Liggett
J. Lutz }
Lytle
Mahern
Mangus }
Mays
McClain }
Messer }
Moses
Murphy }
Neesse }
Noe }
Orentlicher
Oxley
Pelath
Pflum ...
Pierce
Pond }
Porter
Reske
Richardson }
Ripley }
Robertson
Ruppel }
Saunders }
Scholer }
V. Smith
Stevenson
Stilwell
Stutzman }
Summers
Thomas }
Thompson }
Torr }
Turner }
Ulmer }
Van Haaften
Welch
Whetstone
Wolkins }
D. Young
Yount }
Mr. Speaker

The absentees were called again.

Roll Call 219: 51 present; 2 excused; 47 absent. The Speaker announced a quorum was not in attendance. [NOTE: ... indicates those who were excused and } indicates those who were absent.]

The Speaker announced that the House would reconvene on Wednesday, February 25, 2004, at 10:00 a.m.

Pursuant to House Rule 4, on the motion of Representative Dobis, the House adjourned at 6:25 p.m., this twenty-third day of February, 2004, until Wednesday, February 25, 2004, at 10:00 a.m.

B. PATRICK BAUER
Speaker of the House of Representatives

DIANE MASARIU CARTER
Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives